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The 14th May, 2026

No.WR-IRWR014/2/2024-IW2/248.- In pursuance to Clause No. **5.2.9 of Industrial & Business Development Policy, 2026** notified by Government of Punjab vide No. PIU/Industrial & Business Development Policy-2026/898 dated 8th March, 2026, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to notify that an eligible unit who has been issued Eligibility Certificate under the ibid policy, shall be eligible for exemption of the canal water usage charges under The Punjab Canal and Drainage Act, 2023 in pursuance to Clause-22, for the period till such verified investment (as certified in the Eligibility Certificate) is offset against the applicable canal water charges or 10 years whichever is lower. Such investment shall not be part of the eligible FCI for other incentives under IBDP-2026.

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